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Dear Sir:

In compliance with the duty of disclosure set forth in 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicants are submitting herewith a Form PTO-1449 listing additional references which the Patent Examiner is requested to consider and make of record in the above-identified application. This submission supplements the Information Disclosure Statement (IDS) filed April 6, 2000 in this application. This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed concurrently with a Request for Continued Examination. Accordingly, no fee is believed to be required.

This submission is believed to be in full compliance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. §§1.97 and 1.98.

In the opinion of the undersigned, the foregoing

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Early and favorable action on this application is

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